(b) The minimum qualifications prescribed for the post as, notified in the Recruitment Rules, are given in Statement-II. (*See* btlow) Tht pay scale of the post *is* Rs. *2000-60-2300-EB-75-3200 100-3500.*

Statement-I

Duties of inspecting officer (Sugar)

1. Visit to sugar factories for:—

(a) Drawing of samples of sugar from godowns and consignments under despatch.

(b) Checking the markings on gunny bags and the tare-weight of these bags.

(c) Checking the weight of sugar packed in sugar bags.

(d) Checking of utilisation of controlled materials.

(e) Checking particulars of cane purchased by the mills and arrears of cane price.

(f) Collecting data relating to prospects of sugarcane production prior to the beginning of each crushing season.

(g) Collecting statistics relating to weekly sales/despatch of free-sale sugar.

(h) Physically verifying the stocks of sugar with the sugar factories.

2. Visit to local sugar markets for collecting data on stocks and wholesale and retail prices of sugar.

3. Attending courts as a prosecution witness in cases of overgrading of sugar by the sugar factories.

Statement-II

Educational and other qualifications required for direct Recruitment to the post of Inspecting Officer (Sugar) as notified in the Recruitment Rules.

Essential :—

(i) Degree of a recognised University or equivalent.

(ii) 3 years' experience in a Supervisory capacity of work connected with sugar industry or trade or in a Government organisation dealing with sugar or food controls.

Note 1 : Qualifications are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in case of candidates otherwise well qualified.

Note 2 : The qualification(s) regarding experience is/are relaxable at the discretion of the Union Public Service Commission in the case of candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes if at any stage, of selection, the Union Public Serivce Commission is of the opinion that sufficient number of candidates from these communities prossessing the requisite experience are not likely to be available to fill up the vacancies reserved for them.

Implementation of rail link in Tamil Nadu

799. SHRI R. T. GOPALAN: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of the rail links which Tamil Nadu Government has recommended to the Union Government for implementation; and

(b) the action taken/proposed to be taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) State Government of Tamil Nadu has, in the recent past, requested for the construction of following new rail links;

(i) Palani to Chamrajnagar *via.* Dharapur, Ttruppur and Sathyamanglam (145 kms).

(ii) Hogenekkal to Trivannmalai *via.* Dharmapuri-Morappur, Harur and Theerthamalai (170 kms.).

(b) Due to acute constraint of resources, it has not been found possible to consider any of the suggested lines for the present.